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LIVE POULTRY PRICES

	WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES			F.O.B. PRICES		
	NEW YORK	PHILA.	BALTIMORE	BOSTON	WASHINGTON	
BROILERS, UNDER 3 POUNDS		29½				28
FRYERS 3-4 POUNDS	31	31				29½
ROASTERS 4-5½ LBS.	34	34	33-34			
" 5½ LBS. AND OVER		36	35-36			
FOWL 4-5½ LBS.	28½	28½				
" 5½ LB. AND OVER	28½					
OLD ROOSTERS	21½					20
DUCKS-ALL WEIGHTS	28½					
YOUNG TURKEYS	37½					
CAPONS 8# AND OVER		39				

LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS-NEW YORK*
(POUNDS)

	FREIGHT	TRUCK	TRUCK & EXPRESS	TRUCK	TOTAL
		DEALERS AT	(DIRECT	LONG ISLAND	RAIL & TRUCK
		TERMINAL	RECEIVERS)	DUCKS	
APRIL 16 & 17	84,339	680,356	742,719	85,660	1,543,074
SO FAR	243,394	1,611,999	1,938,902	237,620	4,031,915
THIS WEEK					
SO FAR					
LAST WEEK	191,105	1,218,024	1,551,188	71,980	3,032,297

NEW YORK - THERE WERE NO CARS REPORTED ON TRUCK FOR TODAY ON THE NEW YORK CITY LIVE POULTRY MARKET. THE MARKET HELD NOMINALLY FIRM AT PREVAILING PRICES.

TRUCK RECEIPTS TO DEALERS WERE LIGHT AND INSUFFICIENT FOR TRADE NEEDS. FOWL CONTINUED SCARCE AND THE DEMAND FAR EXCEEDED AVAILABLE SUPPLIES. ALL OFFERINGS OF FOWLS, FRYERS, AND LIGHT ROASTERS CLEARED READILY AT AN EARLY MORNING HOUR IN ANTICIPATION OF THE JEWISH HOLIDAY DEMAND AND THE OBSERVANCE OF PASSOVER WHICH COMMENCES AT SUN-DOWN TONIGHT. A FEW MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS SUCH AS TURKEYS, AND LONG ISLAND DUCKS MET ACTIVE TRADING AT FULLY SUPPORTED LEVELS. THE MARKET WAS EXTREMELY FIRM. THE 21 TRUCK LOADS DELIVERED TO DEALERS UP TO 12 NOON TODAY INCLUDED: 5¾ DELAWARE CROSS, ¾ MARYLAND CROSS, ½ WEST VIRGINIA ROCKS, TOTAL 7 FRYERS; 10¾ DELAWARE CROSS (WHICH INCLUDED THE THREE LOADS WHICH ARRIVED ON SUNDAY), 1¾ MARYLAND CROSS, ½ WEST VIRGINIA ROCKS, TOTAL 13 ROASTERS; 1 TENNESSEE FOWL, PLUS 1 DELAWARE TRUCK LOAD DUE LATER. DIRECT RECEIVERS RECEIVED UP UNTIL LATE MORNING 221,152 POUNDS. THE PRICES QUOTED ARE BASED ON MAXIMUM OPA CEILING LEVELS; A FEW GRADE B AND C BROILERS WERE QUOTED AT 28 AND 25½¢ PER LB. RESPECTIVELY.

PHILADELPHIA: LIVE POULTRY MARKET CONTINUED EXTREMELY FIRM. LIGHT RECEIPTS TODAY AND FEW ARRIVALS YESTERDAY CLEARED EARLY WITH SOME BUYERS ALMOST BEGGING FOR ODD COOPS TO FILL BACK ORDERS. DEALERS REPORT NO RELIEF FROM EXTREMELY HIGH ASKING PRICES AT COUNTRY POINTS.

BALTIMORE - LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS VERY LIGHT, MARKET FIRM.

WASHINGTON - LIVE POULTRY MARKET FIRM. FOWL RECEIPTS TOO LIMITED TO ESTABLISH BASIS FOR PRICES.

NEW YORK CITY PRICES ARE BROADCAST FROM WGY SCHENECTADY DAILY AT 6:20 P.M. WOR, NEW YORK CITY AT 6:30 A.M. DAILY AND WHCU, ITHACA, AT 12 NOON, THE FOLLOWING DAY.

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